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| Notice of Allowability | Application No. | Applicant(s) | |
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| | Examiner | Art Unit | |
| | Julio R. Perez | 2617 | |

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1. ☒ This communication is responsive to February 22, 2005.
2. ☒ The allowed claim(s) is/are 3-6; 9-11; which were renumbered as 1-4, 5-7, respectively.
3. ☐ Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f).
 - a) ☐ All b) ☐ Some* c) ☐ None of the:
 1. ☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received.
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 3. ☐ Copies of the certified copies of the priority documents have been received in this national stage application from the International Bureau (PCT Rule 17.2(a)).

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4. ☐ A SUBSTITUTE OATH OR DECLARATION must be submitted. Note the attached EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT or NOTICE OF INFORMAL PATENT APPLICATION (PTO-152) which gives reason(s) why the oath or declaration is deficient.
5. ☐ CORRECTED DRAWINGS (as "replacement sheets") must be submitted.
 - (a) ☐ including changes required by the Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948) attached
 - 1) ☐ hereto or 2) ☐ to Paper No./Mail Date _____.
 - (b) ☐ including changes required by the attached Examiner's Amendment / Comment or in the Office action of Paper No./Mail Date _____.

Identifying indicia such as the application number (see 37 CFR 1.84(c)) should be written on the drawings in the front (not the back) of each sheet. Replacement sheet(s) should be labeled as such in the header according to 37 CFR 1.121(d).
6. ☐ DEPOSIT OF and/or INFORMATION about the deposit of BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL must be submitted. Note the attached Examiner's comment regarding REQUIREMENT FOR THE DEPOSIT OF BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL.

Attachment(s)

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <input type="checkbox"/> Notice of References Cited (PTO-892) 2. <input type="checkbox"/> Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948) 3. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statements (PTO-1449 or PTO/SB/08), Paper No./Mail Date <u>02/22/05; 6/29/06</u> 4. <input type="checkbox"/> Examiner's Comment Regarding Requirement for Deposit of Biological Material | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 5. <input type="checkbox"/> Notice of Informal Patent Application (PTO-152) 6. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Interview Summary (PTO-413), Paper No./Mail Date <u>062206</u> . 7. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Examiner's Amendment/Comment 8. <input type="checkbox"/> Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance 9. <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____. |
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EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

1. An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

2. Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Mr. Howard Bernstein on June 21, July 13, and July 31, 2006.

The application has been amended as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Claim 3

Line 23, "said source baseband resource and said destination baseband resource", has been replaced with -- a baseband signal unit --.

Line 25, insert -- a -- between "of" and "corresponding".

Line 28, insert -- a -- between "of" and "corresponding".

Line 31, insert -- a -- between "of" and "corresponding".

Claim 4

Line 3, "source-base band-resource" has been replaced with -- source base band resource --.

Claim 5

Line 2, insert -- said -- between "generates" and "acquired".

Claim 6

Line 2, replace "HHO" with "HHO-information".

Claim 10

Line 1, insert -- non-instantaneous-disruption -- before "HHO".

Claim 11

Line 1, insert -- non-instantaneous-disruption -- before "HHO".

Drawings

3. The drawings were received on February 22, 2005. These drawings are acceptable.

Allowable Subject Matter

8/1/08 4. Claims ~~1-4~~^{3-6, 10, 11} are allowed.

5. The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance:

Claims 3 and 9 are allowed because the closest prior art, Raith (US Patent Number 6,081,514) and Eyuboglu et al. (US Patent Publication Number 2005/0213555),

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either singularly or in combination, fail to anticipate or render obvious when generating acquired path information of similar base-band resource and radio frame synchronization identification data with transmission power control information of such base-band resource in conjunction with an Hard handover information write-in/read-in block for collecting non-instantaneous-disruption HHO information including the radio frame synchronization identification information, transmission power control information together with acquired path information of corresponding base-band resource.

Any comments considered necessary by applicant must be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee and, to avoid processing delays, should preferably accompany the issue fee. Such submissions should be clearly labeled "Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance."

6. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Julio R. Perez whose telephone number is (571) 272-7846. The examiner can normally be reached on 10:30 - 6:30 PM.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Joseph H. Feild can be reached on (571) 272- 4090. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

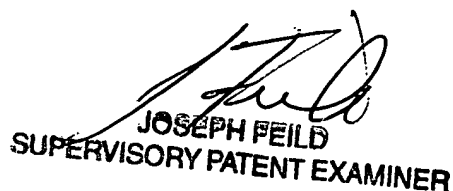
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